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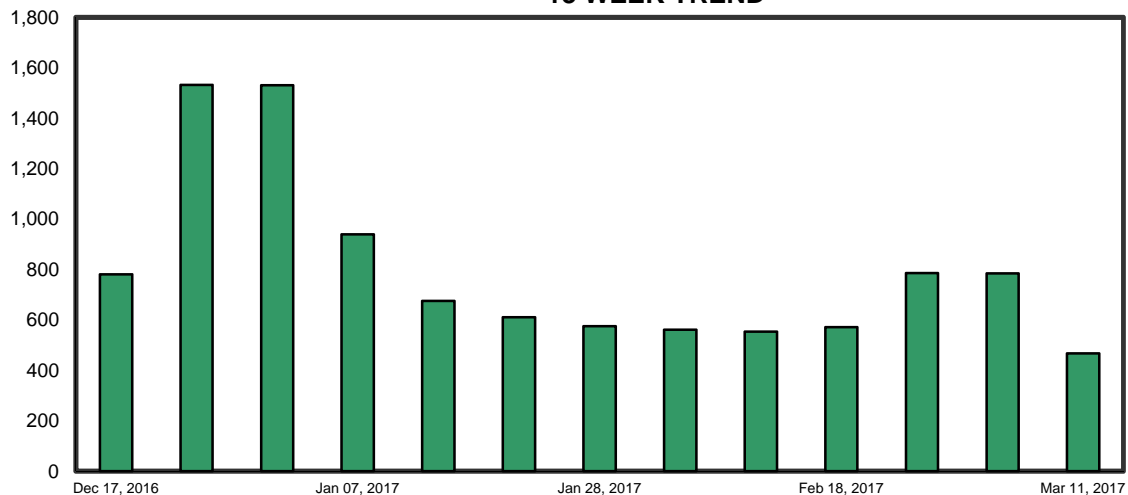
WEEKLY UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE CLAIMS SUMMARY

Week of March 11, 2017

Claim Types	Benefit Programs	Current Data		Last Year	Change From:	
		03/11/2017	03/04/2017	03/12/2016	Last Week	Last Year
Initial Claims ^{1/}	Regular UI	468	785	758	-317	-290
	Federal EUC08 Tier I	0	0	0	0	0
	Federal EUC08 Tier II *	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Federal EUC08 Tier III *	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	State Extended Benefits	0	0	0	0	0
Continued Claims	Regular UI	6,323	6,512	6,644	-189	-321
	Federal EUC08 Tier I	0	0	0	0	N/A
	Federal EUC08 Tier II	0	0	0	0	0
	Federal EUC08 Tier III	0	0	0	0	0
	State Extended Benefits	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	Regular UI	6,791	7,297	7,402	-506	-611
	Federal EUC08 Tier I	0	0	0	0	N/A
	Federal EUC08 Tier II	0	0	0	0	0
	Federal EUC08 Tier III	0	0	0	0	0
	State Extended Benefits	0	0	0	0	0
	Total All Programs	6,791	7,297	7,402	-506	-611

* Not tracked

REGULAR UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE INITIAL CLAIMS 13 WEEK TREND



Regular UI Initial Claims Distribution by Industry ^{1/}

	Current Data		
	03/11/2017	03/04/2017	03/12/2016
Total Number	468	785	758
Percentage Construction	27%	17%	17%
Percentage Manufacturing	9%	5%	8%
Percentage Services	39%	40%	58%
Percentage Trade	10%	7%	9%
Percentage Miscellaneous	15%	31%	8%

^{1/} Includes First, Additional and Re-Open Claims

I. UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE STATISTICS

Week of March 11, 2017

Activity	Program	03/11/2017	03/04/2017	03/12/2016	Change From:	
					Last Week	Last Year
Continued Claims for Weeks of Unemployment State Totals	Regular UI Extended Ben. EUC08 Tier I EUC08 Tier II EUC08 Tier III Total	6,323 0 0 0 0 6,323	6,512 0 0 0 0 6,512	6,644 0 0 0 0 6,644	(189) 0 0 0 0 (189)	(321) 0 0 0 0 (321)
Regular Claims For Weeks of Unemployment by Labor Market Area and Agent State	Barre	904	904	915	0	(11)
	Bennington	304	369	375	(65)	(71)
	Brattleboro	195	224	243	(29)	(48)
	Burlington	1,087	1,058	1,210	29	(123)
	Middlebury	376	449	359	(73)	17
	Morrisville	476	475	527	1	(51)
	Newport	630	611	608	19	22
	Rutland	625	762	668	(137)	(43)
	St. Albans	691	614	622	77	69
	St. Johnsbury	431	378	401	53	30
	Springfield	235	276	251	(41)	(16)
White River	241	250	268	(9)	(27)	
Agent State	128	142	197	(14)	(69)	
Number of Benefit Payments	Regular UI	5,947	6,035	6,305	(88)	(358)
	Extended Ben.	0	0	0	0	0
	EUC08 Tier I	0	0	0	0	0
	EUC08 Tier II	0	0	0	0	0
	EUC08 Tier III	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	5,947	6,035	6,305	(88)	(358)
Amount of Benefit Payments	Regular UI	\$2,140,888	\$2,179,081	\$2,137,910	(38,193)	2,978
	Extended Ben.	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0
	EUC08 Tier I	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0
	EUC08 Tier II	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0
	EUC08 Tier III	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0
	Total	\$2,140,888	\$2,179,081	\$2,137,910	(38,193)	2,978
Trust Fund	Cash Balance	\$294,079,866	\$296,116,620	\$215,576,508	(2,036,754)	78,503,358
	Loan Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0
	Net Balance	\$294,079,866	\$296,116,620	\$215,576,508	(2,036,754)	78,503,358

II. TOTAL UNEMPLOYMENT RATE COMPARISON

State and National 1/ (SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)	Jan-2017	Dec-2016	Jan-2016	Change From:	
				Last Month	Last Year
Vermont	3.1%	3.2%	3.3%	-0.1%	-0.2%
Connecticut	4.5%	4.4%	5.5%	0.1%	-1.0%
Maine	3.5%	3.8%	3.8%	-0.3%	-0.3%
Massachusetts	3.2%	3.1%	4.3%	0.1%	-1.1%
New Hampshire	2.7%	2.7%	2.8%	0.0%	-0.1%
New Jersey	4.6%	4.7%	5.0%	-0.1%	-0.4%
New York	4.6%	4.8%	4.9%	-0.2%	-0.3%
Rhode Island	4.7%	4.9%	5.4%	-0.2%	-0.7%
United States	4.8%	4.7%	4.9%	0.1%	-0.1%

NOTE: TOTAL UNEMPLOYMENT RATES REFLECT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED DATA.

^{1/} Excludes Armed Forces

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